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[54] **1,7-DIAROXY- OR 1,7-ARYLTHIO-SUBSTITUTED PERYLENE-3,4,9,10-TETRACARBOXYLIC ACIDS, THEIR DIANHYDRIDES AND DIIMIDES**

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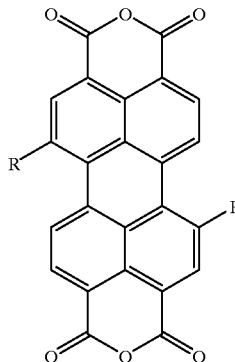
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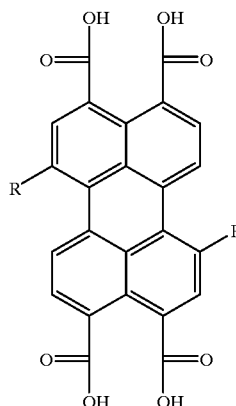
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[57] **ABSTRACT**

1,7-Disubstituted perylene-3,4,9,10-tetracarboxylic dianhydrides I and perylene-3,4,9,10-tetracarboxylic acids Ia



I



Ia

where R is substituted or unsubstituted aryloxy, arylthio, hetaryloxy or hetarylthio, their preparation and use as pigments, laser dyes and precursors for preparing fluorescent dyes, polymeric colorants, pigments and pigment additives, and 1,7-disubstituted perylene-3,4,9,10-tetracarboxylic diimides (VI) as intermediates thereof.

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